

3. **EXTENSION OF TIME**

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) apply.

☒ Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d), for the total number of months checked below:

<u>Total months requested</u>	<u>Fee for extension</u>	<u>[fee for Small Entity]</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 400.00	\$200.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$ 920.00	\$460.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,440.00	\$720.00

Extension of time fee due with this request: \$ 0.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a Petition therefor.

☐ An extension for __ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$ ____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

3. Fee Calculation

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid	Present Extra	at Rate of	Total Fees
Total Claims	20	min us	20	none	x \$18.00 each=	+ \$0.00
Independent Claims	3	min us	3	none	x \$84.00 each=	+ \$00.00
[] First presentation of Multiple dependent claim(s)					\$270.00	+ \$
SUB-TOTAL =						\$00.00
Reduction by 1/2 for filing by a small entity						- \$
TOTAL FEE =						\$00.00

4. Fee Payment

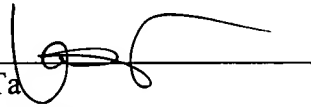
☒ No fee is to be paid at this time.

☐ Please charge the **Deposit Account No. No. 50-0310** in the amount of **\$0.00** for Information Disclosure Statement fee of \$180.00.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees including fees due under 37 CFR §1.16 and §1.17 which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0310.

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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated **June 13, 2002** the period for reply extending through September 13, 2002, Applicants respectfully request entry of the of the following Amendment because the Amendment places the application in condition for allowance or in better form for appeal.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

A new paragraph is added starting at page 4, line 5 as follows:

Fig. 4A is a top view of a swirl disk.

Fig. 4B is a top view of the guide disk--

The paragraph starting at page 6, line 25, has been replaced with the following:

The guide disk 86, as shown in Figs. 2A, 2B and 4B, has a perimeter 90, a central aperture 92, and a plurality of fuel passage openings 94 between the perimeter 90 and the central